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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of
Inventor(s): SUZUKI, Hironobu

For: SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING
THE SAME

Enclosed are:

- A specification consisting of Forty-three (43) pages
- Six (6) sheet(s) formal drawings
- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
- Applicant does not claim priority
- Applicant claims the right of priority under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based on Application No(s). 2002-365737 filed in JAPAN on December 17, 2002.
 - Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.
 - Certified copy(ies) will follow.
- Executed Declaration (Original Photocopy)

An assignment of the invention

Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76

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